

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 2613

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of                      Atty. Docket : DE 020166  
PETER KLAUS BACHMANN ET AL.            GROUP ART UNIT: 2613  
SERIAL NO.: 10/518,825                  EXAMINER: HIBRET A.  
                             WOLDEKIDAN  
FILED:     DECEMBER 21, 2004            CONF. NO.: 3595

TITLE:       OPTICAL SIGNAL PROCESSING DEVICE AND NON-LINEAR  
               OPTICAL COMPONENT

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed April 7, 2008, please consider the remarks as follows: